

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

JOSEPH LOCHUCH EWALAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT SCHREIBER, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. C20-5678JLR

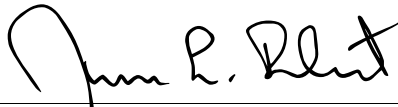
ORDER

On March 29, 2024, *pro se* Plaintiff Joseph Lochuch Ewalan filed a motion raising issues related to trial procedure. (Mot. (Dkt. # 225) (noted for April 19, 2024).) This matter will proceed to trial starting April 22, 2024, and the pretrial conference is scheduled to take place next Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 2:00 P.M. (Sched. Order (Dkt. # 163) at 4.)

The court exercises its discretion to rule on the motion before the noting date. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 1 (stating that the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure should be construed “to secure the just, speedy, and inexpensive determination of every action and

1 proceeding”). The court DENIES Mr. Ewalan’s motion without prejudice, as the court
2 will address matters of trial procedure at the pretrial conference. The court advises Mr.
3 Ewalan that the proper way to raise these issues is not by motion; Mr. Ewalan shall raise
4 the issues addressed in his motion and any other concerns related to trial procedure
5 during the pretrial conference next week.

6 Dated this 29th day of March, 2024.

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9 United States District Judge
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